

1 DELEGATE BENNETT: Delegate Mudd, referring  
2 to Section 5.14, you say that the list should contain  
3 no fewer than two nor more than five eligible persons.

4 Would you indulge me by giving me the benefit  
5 of the committee's thinking on how you arrived at that  
6 figure of as few as two?

7 DELEGATE MUDD: To accommodate Delegate Grant's  
8 Garrett County.

9 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Bennett, can I ask you  
10 further whether or not in your considerations it would be  
11 possible for the Governor to return the list even if it  
12 came from Garrett County to ask for a larger number of  
13 nominees? Is he to return the list?

14 DELEGATE MUDD: It is not so provided but I  
15 would certainly assume such procedure might be necessary  
16 in the event of, or obviously if the commission sent up  
17 a list of two names and something should happen to both  
18 those nominees before either had been appointed, it would  
19 be an empty list and there would have to be some correc-  
20 tive procedures. But it is not contemplated that the  
21 Governor could deviate from the list or not separate the